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E.O.11652: N/A
TAGS: ETRD
SUBJECT: JW-64 KOSEKI INCIDENT
JW-8-3LJW-8-312. YOU MAY BE INTERESTED TO KNOW THAT
NHK RADIO LAST NIGHT AND NIHON KEIZAI SHIMBUN THIS
MORNING REPORTED STORY WIRED BY UPI/SLC ABOUT LAWSUIT
BROUGHT AGAINST SNOWBIRD BY JOURNALIST KOSEKI OF SKI
JOURNAL. STORY REPORTS THAT KOSEKI HAS FILED CHARGES FOR
1.1 MILLION DOLLARS AGAINST DAMAGES INCURRED BY
ACCIDENT. USTS WAS NOT MENTIONED IN STORY AS SUCH.
THE REPORT ONLY SAID THAT KOSEKI WAS AT SNOWBIRD AT THE
OBTAIN COPY OF ORIGINAL UPI STORY AND WILL FORWARD COPY
TO YOU WHEN AND IF WE GET IT. MANSFIELD

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